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A CYLINDER

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2004. The Examiner is requested to enter the following proposed amendments and consider the accompanying remarks. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.